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## **AMENDMENT**

This amendment and response to the Office Action mailed May 7, 2003, , for which the finality has been withdrawn by the Patent Office, is being submitted in accordance with the revised format for amendments signed by the Patent Office on July 11, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

There are no Amendments to the Specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

There are no Amendments to the Drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.